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TOPIC Soviet Zone Police in KUEHLUNGSBORN

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1. A Soviet Zone police school is located in the area of the former German Air Force test institute of KUEHLUNGSBORN. Most of the police personnel are former PWs. Most instructors are members of the "National Committee Free Germany".

March 1949

2. The IV Alert Police Unit of the Mecklenburg Alert Police is stationed in KUEHLUNGSBORN. *

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April 1949

3. "Stossgruppen" (combat groups), totaling about 1,500 police, are being trained in KUEHLUNGSBORN, with light and heavy infantry weapons and tanks, under the supervision of Soviet instructors. *

4. The newspaper "Muenchner Merkur" reported in the spring of 1949 (exact date unknown), that police units were being activated in KUEHLUNGSBORN for commitment in Greece.*

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25X1A [redacted] Comment: This project believes that a police school (police training center) is located in KUEHLUNGSBORN, in addition to the IV Alert Police Unit (probably a "school cadre" or "combat" unit). The "Stossgruppen" (combat groups) are assumed to be units for commitment in Greece. This assumption is corroborated

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that he was wounded while fighting in Greece. The police officer is now an instructor at the KUEHLUNGSBORN police school. The information is thus indirectly confirmed.

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